to 99.8. The remaining 0.2 percent of water samples found unsatisfactory were due to corroded pipe lines, individual connections, cross-connections, on-line boosters, etc. The same were promptly attended to and rectified. The Delhi Jal Board has also intensified the surveilance activities in the vulnerable areas and taken adequate precautionary and rectification measures wherever required.

Forceful Acquisition of Agricultural Land for Relocation of Industries in Delhi

2422. SHRI RAJEEV SHUKLA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have forcefully acquired agricultural land with standing crop in Delhi for relocation of industries without paying the promised cost;

(b) whether the cost of crop, fertilizers and pesticides have also been taken into account while deciding the compensation to be paid;

(c) whether the farmers are agitating on these issues; and

(d) by when the compensation is likely to be paid to all whose land has been acuqired?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI JAGMOHAN): (a) The Government of NCT of Delhi has informed that it has acquired agricultural land for relocation of Industries pursuant to the direction of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Farmers had demanded enhancement of the compensation rate for the acquired land.

(d) Where award has been announced by the Land Acquisition Collector, payment has been offered in all the cases. Most of the persons have also collected the payment. In cases where award is yet to be announced, 80% of the compensation has been offered to the affected persons as per section 17(3-A) of Land Acquisition Act, 1894 and most of them have collected the compensation.

Use of Residential Plots for Commercial purposes in JJ Colony, Madipur, New Delhi

2423. SHRI K. M. SAIFULLAH: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATON be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that residential plots are being used commercially in JJ Colony, Madipur, New Delhi setup by Delhi Development Authority;

(b) whether it is also a fact that pet animals like cow, buffalow and pigs being reared there are causing great inconvenience to the residents of the colony;

(c) if so, the steps contemplated by Government in this regard; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI JAGMOHAN): (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Corruption in Issuing Licenses to Hawkers and Rickshaw Pullers in Delhi

2424. SHRI KHAGEN DAS: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is true that the Central Vigilance Commissioner has written to Government pointing out the prevailing corruption in the system for issue of licenses to hawkers and rickshaw pullers in Delhi and suggesting abolition of this licensing system; and

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The suggestions of the Central Vigilance Commissioner are under examination of the Municipal Corporation of Delhi.

12.00 Noon

The house reassembled at twelve of the clock, MR. CHAIRMAN in the Chair.

SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI VIRUMBI (Tamil Nadu): Sir, we want justice. *(Interruptions)* Dismiss the... *(Interruptions)*

MR. CHAIRMAN: The House is adjourned till tomorrow.

The House then adjourned at one minute past twelve of the clock, till eleven of the clock on Tuesday, the 14th August, 2001